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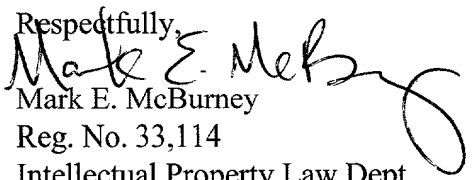
Enclosed are also:

- X 32 Pages of Specification including an Abstract
- X 4 Pages of Claims ( Claims 1 - 19 )
- X 8 Sheet(s) of Drawings
- X A Declaration and Power of Attorney
- X Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation

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